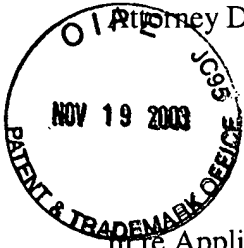


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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application. Applicant is a small entity. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply. The shortened statutory period of response was set to expire on August 20, 2003. Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a three (3) month extension of time. With this extension, the time to respond is now set at November 20, 2003. Enclosed is check No. 18988 in the sum of \$860, \$475 as the fee for the extension of time as well as \$385 as the fee for filing a Request for Continued Examination. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in these fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0280. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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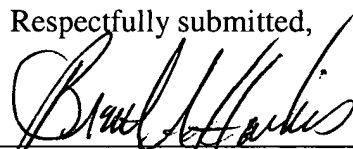
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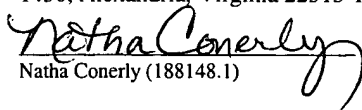
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